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Japanese Messages Concorning Military Installations, Ship Movements, etc. (Page 12)

From: Tokyo (Toyoda)
To: Honolulu
September 24, 1941

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Honceforth, we would like to have you make reports concerning vessels along the following lines insofar as possible:

1. The vaters (of Pearl Herbor) are to be divided roughly into five sub-areas. (We have no objections to your abbreviating as much as you like.)

Area A. Waters between Ford Island and the Arsenal.

Area B. Waters adjacent to the Island south and west of Ford Island. (This area is on the opposite side of the Island from Area A.)

Area C. East Loch.

Area D. Middle Loch.

Area E. West Loch and the communicating water routes.

2. With regard to warships and aircraft carriers, we would like to have you report on those at anchor, (these are not so important) tied up at wharves, buoys and in docks. (Designate types and classes briefly. If possible we would like to have you make mention of the fact when there are two or more vessels along side the same wharf.)

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Trans. 10/9/41 (8)

INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRIBUNAL FOR THE FAR EAST

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Japanese Messages Concerning Military Installations, Ship Movements, etc. (Page 13)

From: Tokyo (Togo)
To: Honolulu (Riyoji)
15 November 1941

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As relations between Japan and the United States are most critical, make your "ships in harbor report" irregular, but at a rate of twice a week. Although you already are no doubt aware, please take extra care to maintain secrecy.

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From: Honolulu (Kita) Jap To : Tokyo Mil November 18, 1941 Mov

Japanese Messages Concerning Military Installations, Ship Movements, etc. (Page 14)

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1. The warships at anchor in the Harbor on the 15th were as I told you in my #219a on that day.

Area  $A^b$  - A battleship of the Oklahoma class entered and one tanker left port.

were at anchor. Cc - 3 warships of the heavy cruiser class

2. On the 17th the Saratoga was not in the harbor. The carrier, Enterprise, or some other vessel was in Area C. Two heavy cruisers of the Chicago class, one of the Pensacola class were tied up at docks "KS".

4 merchant vessels were at anchor in Area Dd.

3. At 10:00 a.m. on the morning of the 17th, 8 destroyers were observed entering the Harbor. Their course was as follows: In a single file at a distance of 1,000 meters apart at a speed of 3 knots per hour, they moved into Pearl Harbor. From the entrance of the Harbor through Arca B to the buoys in Area C, to which they were moored, they changed course 5 times each time roughly 30 degrees. The slapsed time was one hour, however, one of these destroyers entered Area A after passing the water reservoir on the Eastern side.

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a. - Available, dated November 14. Code under study.

b. - Waters between Ford Island and the Arsenal.

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Witness: ERIC ". FEISHER, 2d Lt. Chief, Inv. Div., IPS Official Capacity

Doc 6255D 軍事拖设艦船動靜其他一関心界,通報(一四頁)

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Jepanese Messages Concerning Military Installations, Ship Movements, etc. (Pego 21)

From: Tokyo (Togo)
To: Honolulu
December 2, 1941

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(Secret outside the department.)

In view of the present situation, the presence in port of warships, airplane carriers, and cruisers is of utmost importance. Hereafter, to the utmost of your ability, let me know day by day. Wire me in each case whether or not there are any observation balloons above Pearl Harbor or if there are any indications that they will be sent up. Also advise me whether or not the warships are provided with anti-mine nets.

Note: This message was received here on December 23.

ARMY 27065 JD 8007 (Japanese) Trans. 12/30/41 (5)

signed official of the Japanese Government in the conduct of my official business.

Signed at Tokyo, Japan on this

8th day of October , 1946.

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